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Federal Employees Eligible for Unemployment Insurance

(Helena, MT) The Montana Department of Labor and Industry wants Federal employees furloughed due to the government shutdown to know they are eligible for Unemployment Insurance Benefits.

Those impacted by the shutdown can file for Unemployment Insurance Benefits online at www.ui4u.mt.gov. It is important to note that if those employees do receive back pay, they will have to repay their benefits.

The Department is strongly encouraging claimants to file online.

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